

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Richard E. Smalley et al. Art Unit : 1771
Serial No. : 09/722,950 Examiner : Elizabeth M. Cole
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Title : ROPES OF SINGLE-WALL CARBON NANOTUBES AND COMPOSITIONS
THEREOF

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action ("Office Action") having a mailing date of March 19, 2007, with a three-month shortened statutory period for response set to expire on June 19, 2007. Please amend the above-identified Application as follows:

Listing of the Claims begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.